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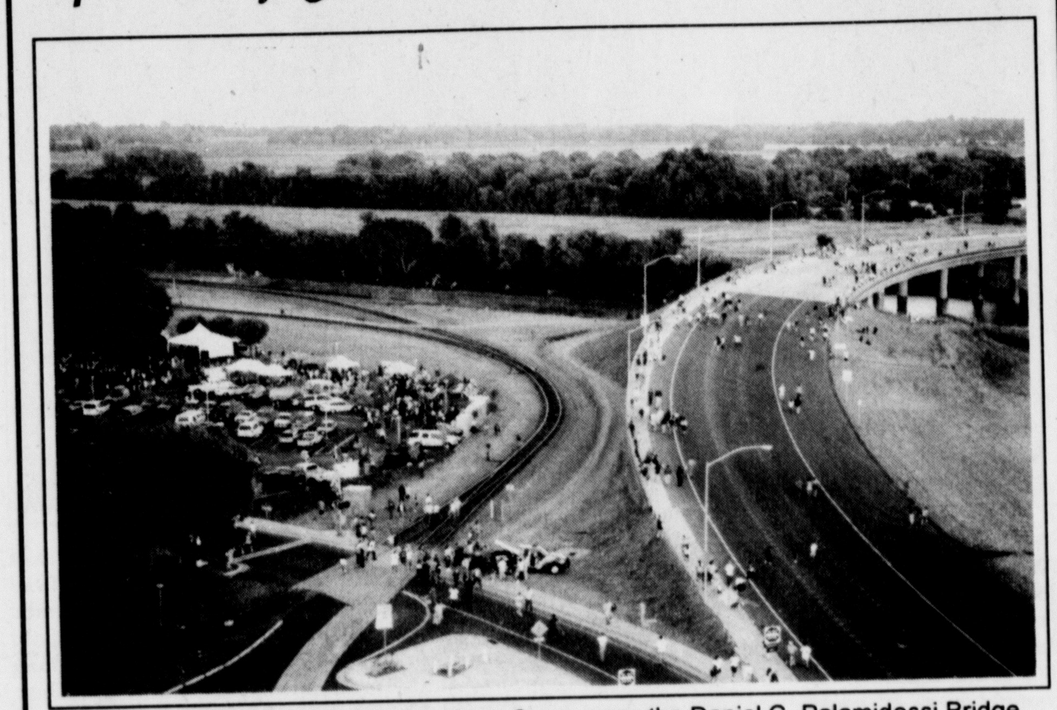
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Sparks fly on second of July —



THE CROWD started gathering about 6 p.m. near the Daniel C. Palamidessi Bridge
(Photos courtesy of Art Schroeder, W. Sac. Redevelopment Agency)



Some of the hundreds of spectators on the bridge who enjoyed the evening's fireworks

West Sacramento's second annual "BridgeFest" and Independence Day celebration took place two days before the Fourth of July, as area residents converged on the city hall area for live music, food and fireworks Thursday evening.

Viewing of the fireworks took place from the year-old Daniel C. Palamidessi Bridge nearby, closed during the event to vehicle traffic.

Three bands -- one featuring the drums of County Supervisor Mike McGowan and the vocals of ex city councilperson Cindy Tuttle -- entertained the large crowd before the fireworks show.

Local students' test scores remain below state average

■ WUSD kids perform mostly in upper 30s and low 40s in percentile scale comparing them to the rest of California's students

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

After delays and controversy, the state's school districts have begun releasing the results of standardized student testing. While the results aren't directly comparable to the results from earlier years, Washington Unified School District students in April again scored below the median in math and reading skills compared to other California students.

Superintendent Dr. David Kelleher wasn't available for comment yesterday, but Assistant Superintendent Patrick Campbell said that "the scores in the district have remained more or less constant for a number of years."

Local students performed -- as a group -- below the 50th percentile in both reading and math, with various second through 11th grade levels scoring from a low of 35.4 percent (fifth grade) to a high of 42.5 percent (eighth grade) in reading, and between 35.3 percent (fifth grade) to 43.8 percent (eleventh grade) in math.

Campbell said the superintendent had told the school board that the new results even showed a little bit of progress, when adjusted for the change in the way the test was administered.

"(Kelleher) said that the scores were pretty much as expected," reported Campbell. "They're down a little because we tested all the kids, but we continue to show progress."

In previous years, students who had been in the country less than 18 months and special education students were not part of these tests. New law meant that recent immigrants (including many non-English speakers) and special education students were part of the April, 1998, tests -- thus helping to bring the results down slightly from previous years.

Although perfectly equivalent statistics from prior years weren't available, comparison of the performance of English-speaking students who took the test in April to all those who took the tests in 1997 (a group which was roughly comparable, said Campbell) showed a slight increase in WUSD student performance.

"If you look at the scores of the English-only kids, we significantly improved," he said.

Some critics warn that while the scores are often used as a benchmark to compare the quality of different school districts, the tests often reflect the makeup of a district's students at least as much as they reflect the quality of the teaching.

During the 1997-98 school year, the school district hired a consultant to implement a new top-to-bottom faculty and staff program designed to improve test scores. After an acrimonious start, consultant Dr. Philip Grignon was released from the contract, but some of the methods he advocated will remain, said Campbell.

City-owned land put up for sale

Land acquired in war against 'blight' and for civic use

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

You, too, can own the site of a former adult bookstore.

This and other properties acquired by the West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency over the past decade are being put on the block at the request of the city council.

"The redevelopment agency is not just selling properties, it's selling properties to good investors," said Val Toppenberg, director of the agency. "We're looking for buyers who want to invest in West Sacramento."

The redevelopment agency acquired the properties generally as a way of either removing perceived "blight," such as the adult book stores in the downtown West Sacramento area, or to lubricate the way for new development, or both. One five-acre parcel was bought in expectation of becoming a future city hall.

"Last year, the (city's) economic development advisory commission brought up the fact that there are a number of parcels owned by the redevelopment agency, and asked if we shouldn't be trying to market these properties and get development going on them," Toppenberg commented. "The city council approved a marketing plan.

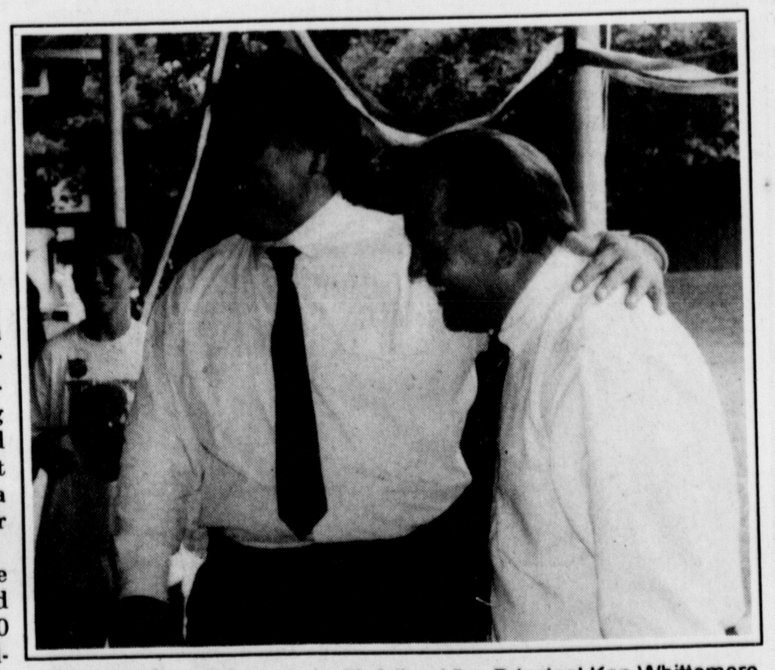
The parcels are generally cleared and vacated, for sale by owner -- although real estate professionals can earn a commission by bringing in a buyer. The properties are:

- A parcel of about a half acre at 2600 West Capitol Ave. (near Glide Ave.), with an asking price of $100,000 and a planned use of residential and/or commercial.
- An 0.65 acre parcel at 2400 West Capitol Ave. (at Pecan), with a planned use of residential and/or commercial. Asking price is $130,000.
- 0.74 acres at the northeast corner of 3rd and C streets, with an asking price of $80,000 and preferred for development of mixed residential and community commercial.
- 2.94 acres bounded by "B," "C," 3rd and 4th streets, planned for residential and community commercial and carrying an asking price of $300,000.
- A vacant building on 0.275 acres at 424 C Street (near 5th and C), planned for professional office and community commercial. Asking price is $125,000.
- An 0.59 acre parcel at 427 C St. (near 5th and C), planned for professional office and community commercial, with an asking price of $90,000.
- 5.05 acres at the northwest corner of Sacramento Ave. and Kegle Dr., planned for market rate housing or community commercial, but with support for commercial or residential uses. Asking price is $331,000.

About Town:

Working with RCHS kids is perfect job for Jose Rodriguez

By Daryl Fisher
Features Editor



JOSE RODRIGUEZ (center) with fellow Vice Principal Ken Whittemore

Most educators get to take the summer off, but that is not the case with Jose Rodriguez, who is this year's River City High School summer school principal.

"I'm actually sharing the principal's duties with Ken Whittemore, who has been a wonderful mentor to me for the past couple of years," explained Jose. "Ken is going to take over for the second half of the summer, and that allows both of us to spend a little more time with our families."

Jose has been an employee with the Washington Unified School District for over 20 years. He has been a reading specialist, an English teacher, a department chairperson, and even a football and track coach. For the past two regular school years, he has been an assistant principal at the high school.

"I really enjoy helping run the summer school program," said Jose. "We've got about 350 kids enrolled this year, and summer school can be a very productive time of the year for high school students. There aren't so many distractions and I think that helps quite a few of our students stay focused on their studies."

This summer, River City is offering a wide range of classes for students to choose from, including

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City hall site, amenities considered

The West Sacramento City Council tonight will consider what, exactly, to build as part of a new city hall complex near West Capitol Ave., and exactly where to put it.

Options for a city hall complex include an adjoining community center, seniors' center, recreation building and other options, putting the price tag between $7 million and $13 million, said Val Toppenberg of the

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Sheriff seeks help identifying victim

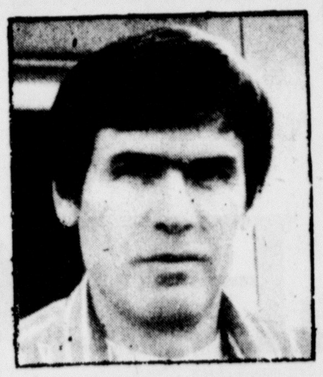
The Yolo Co. Sheriff's Dept. has released more information in the hopes of identifying the body of an Asian teenage female found in a Clarksburg slough on June 25. The woman died of asphyxiation due to suffocation, and the case is being investigated as a homicide.

On the victim's upper left chest was a tattoo of overlapping hearts with arrows, and on her upper left upper arm was a tattoo in black ink with the words "Tiffanly Mien Pride." She was in her late teens, about 5' 2" tall, 110 pounds, with brown eyes and shoulder-length brown hair.

Anyone with possible information on her identity is asked to call Detective Dooley or Detective Faille at (530) 668-5213 or 5214, or the crime information line, (530) 668-5281.

It's hard for a kid to earn a decent living these days

My Back Pages



By Daryl Fisher

My youngest son strolled up to me the other day and said matter-of-factly, "Dad, this being broke all the time really stinks."

"Now what do you need money for?" I asked him. "You're only twelve-years-old."

"For all kinds of things," he assured me.

"Like what?"

"Well, there's this tape I want to get -- it's by Creed."

"Creed?"

"They're a new rock band."

"Oh."

"But I'm so poor I can't even stop the ice cream truck and buy a snow storm."

"What's a snow storm?"

"It's Oreo cookies and vanilla ice cream all in one. They're really great."

"Oh."

"Anyway, how about if you and mom start giving me an allowance? That would be sweet."

"But you don't do anything around here except play video games," I reminded him. "To get an allowance, you'd actually have to do some work."

"What kind of work?"

"Well," I said, "to begin with, maybe you could start keeping your room clean, or do some of the yard work? You could even empty the dishwasher every day. Your mother would really appreciate that."

"How much would I get for doing all that?"

"Oh, I don't know....maybe ten or twenty dollars a month."

"You're kidding?" he asked with a shocked expression. "All that work for only ten dollars a month? I don't think so."

"You know, young man," I said with emphasis, "when I was your age, I'll have you know I didn't get an allowance from my parents. I had my own Sacramento Bee route. Not only did I have to fold and deliver all the papers, I also had to buy my own supplies and do all the collecting. I also had to...."

"Yeah, yeah, yeah," interrupted my son, "I've heard you talk about all that before, how you got chased by dogs and everything. But kids my age can't get those kinds of jobs anymore. Plus everything is a lot more expensive nowadays. The Creed tape is $11 at Tower -- and I'd have to clean my room and do all that other stuff for a whole month before I could buy it." As my son went off in search of his mother to tell her that his father was proposing slave wages for household tasks, I admitted to myself that the days when a kid could flag down the ice cream man and purchase a delicious 50/50 bar for a dime or go to the grocery store and buy a long-lived five-cent Look candy bar (you could chew on the darn thing for most of the day) are gone forever.

About fifteen minutes later, my wife and son came to me with an alternative plan.

"Rather than give Kyle a monthly allowance," suggested my wife, "which we'll probably forget to pay him half the time anyway, he wants to work on a project by project basis."

"What's that mean?" I asked, not exactly sure what she was talking about and well aware that Kyle has a special talent for getting his mother to give him more or less exactly what he wants.

"For instance," said my wife, "we've got all these book shelves in the house, and everyone of them is full of books which haven't been dusted in years. So, Kyle has agreed to individually dust each and every book in the house for fifty cents a shelf."

"Really?" I said, realizing a pretty good deal when I hear it. "All those books definitely need dusting, Kyle, and if you do a good job, there's a lot of other things I can think of that you could do around here for money."

With that, my wife, who was very pleased with herself for suggesting the project-by-project solution to Kyle's financial woes, took a little bow and exited the room.

"You know what would be really fair, Dad?" suddenly asked my son.

"What?"

"Well, instead of paying me fifty cents a shelf, how about if you just give me five cents for every book I dust?"

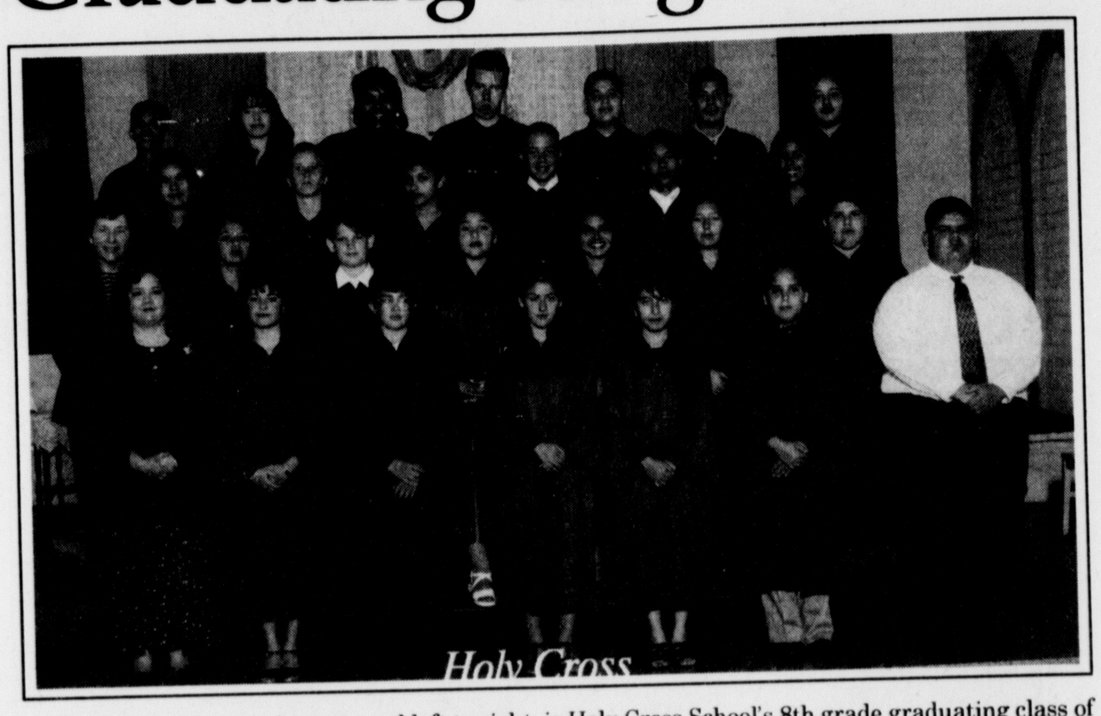
"Are you kidding?" I said, also knowing a stick-up when the gun is in my ribs, "there's got to be thirty or forty books on every shelf. Instead of making fifty cents a shelf, you'd be making a couple of bucks for each one."

"You don't want to do that, huh?"

"No way!"

"One more thing," he added calmly, "when I dust the books, do I get paid extra if I dust the shelves, too?"

Graduating 8th grade



Pictured from top to bottom, and left to right, is Holy Cross School's 8th grade graduating class of 1998: ROW 1: Joseph Heredia, Alexis Broady, Aisha Waters, John Bass, Enrique Alcala, Gabriel Ponce, Rebecca Valencia. ROW 2:Raquel Mata, William Clayton, Kristina Solorzano, Matthew Estrada, Francisco Rodriguez, Leticia Figueroa. ROW 3: Mrs. Julie Brehl (Principal), Erica Medina, Daniil Pruglo, Emma Barajas, Rosalba Alvarez, Vanessa Jorrin, Mark Reyes. ROW 4: Ms. Leslie Hoffman (8th grade teacher), Lorena Franco, Alfredo Gonzales, Anna Torres, Merlyn Pinzon, Pablo Diaz, Daniel Lopez.

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Obituaries

Gladys G. Dial

Gladys G. Dial died July 4, 1998, in Sacramento at the age of 79. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Albert J. Dial; by daughter Helen Grace; by two grandchildren and by three great grandchildren. A native of Kalamazoo, Michigan, she lived in West Sacramento for 25 years.

Memorial services were held July 7 in the River Cities Funeral Chapel and inurnment was private.

Elizabeth Inkenbrandt

Elizabeth "Beth" Inkenbrandt died in Sacramento on July 5, 1998. She was the daughter of Gary and Carol McDowell; mother of Crystal and Courtney Inkenbrandt; sister of Tom McDowell, Ed McDowell and Ed's wife Debby, and Bill McDowell and his wife, Robin; and is also survived by her former husband, Mark Inkenbrandt, and by numerous nieces and nephews.

A native of Sacramento, she was a four year resident of West Sacramento, age 40.

Friends are invited to attend a Mass of Christian Burial on Thursday, July 9, 1998, at 2 p.m. at Our Lady of Grace Church in West Sacramento. A Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. on Wednesday in the River Cities Funeral Chapel. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to the American Cancer Society.

Clarine Dick

Clarine Dick died on July 4, 1998.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Warren Dick, and is survived by children Buddy and Warren Dick; by grandchildren Lisa and Kathy; and by great grandchildren Mackenzie, Taylor and Madison.

A native of Knights Landing and a 75-year resident of West Sacramento, she was 75.

Friends are invited to attend funeral services on July 9 at 11 a.m. in the River Cities Funeral Chapel. Visitation is at the funeral home Wednesday from noon to 7 p.m. Interment will be at Davis District Cemetery. Memorials are preferred to the American Cancer Society.

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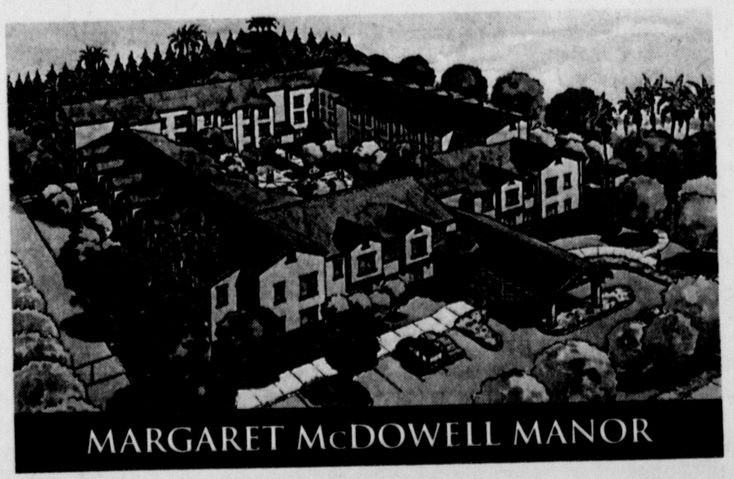
Margaret McDowell Manor GROUND BREAKING

It's a new beginning for senior housing in West Sacramento - a beginning dedicated in the name of Margaret McDowell, one of the founding figures of the original West Sacramento. On Friday, July 10, Margaret McDowell Manor will break ground at 1525 Merkley Ave., west of the US Bank. In ceremonies beginning at 10:30 a.m., Mayor Wesley A. Beers will join members of the senior community, local officials and project representatives in marking the official start of construction for the 87-unit senior housing complex.

Developed in partnership with the city's Redevelopment Agency, Christian Church Homes of Northern California and Margaret McDowell Associates, Margaret McDowell Manor expects occupancy by spring of next year. A West Sacramento firm, Brown Construction, will manage the construction of the two- and three-story building.

At the time of the California Gold Rush, Margaret McDowell was a single woman who couldn't read or write, yet her determination drove her to develop the town of Washington, where she sold housing lots. The town's name lasted for 50 years until it became Broderick.

The new Margaret McDowell Manor will provide safe, affordable housing for seniors, essential to the West Sacramento of today and tomorrow. Seniors eligible to occupy Margaret McDowell Manor will be 62 years and over, and of low to very low-income. To be placed on the mailing list to receive applications later this year, interested parties can write to Christian Church Homes, 303 Hegenberger Road, Suite 201, Oakland, CA 94621-1419.



This column, written by City of West Sacramento staff, covers a variety of topics concerning the City of West Sacramento's government and services. If you have a concern that you would like to see addressed in a future article, please send your questions to: **Town Hall Talk c/o The News-Ledger, 816 Westacre Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691**

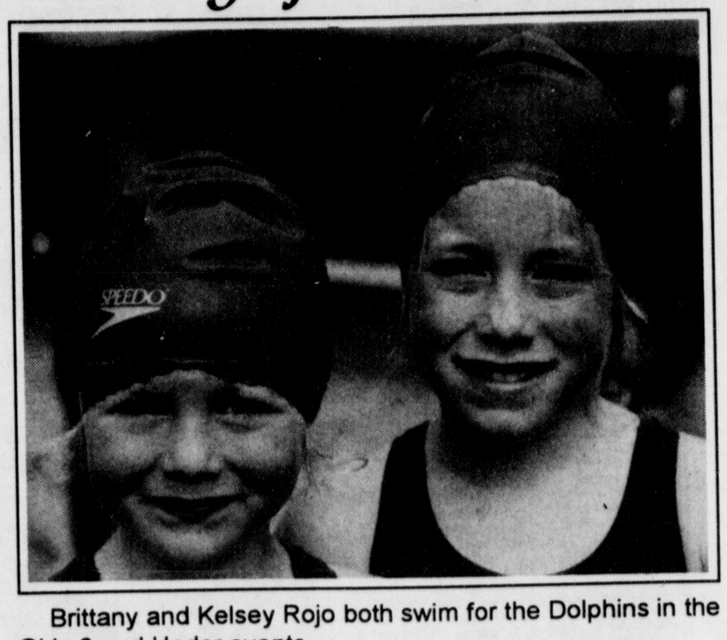
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Dolphins ready for action

From the West Sacramento Dolphins Swim Team

After a well-earned rest for the 4th of July holiday weekend the West Sacramento Dolphins Swim Team will be in action again this coming weekend against the Carmichael Beavers in Carmichael.

The following weekend the Dolphins will be hosting the Galt Gators at the River City High School pool for their last home meet of the year.



Brittany and Kelsey Rojo both swim for the Dolphins in the Girls 6 and Under events.

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biology, English; Spanish; world history; algebra; political science; family life education; English as a second language; U.S. history; and government/economics.

"We try to offer as many classes as possible," said Jose. "Summer school is a great way for kids to keep their grades up and stay on schedule for graduation, but we also want our students to enjoy the experience and get as much out of it as possible."

During the regular school year, Jose's duties at the high school are varied and interesting. "As an assistant principal," explained Jose, "I get to spend a lot of my time one-on-one with students, and I really enjoy that. I get to know them better than if I was their teacher in a crowded classroom, and I think that helps me deal with their problems a little more effectively."

Jose's job often requires him to supervise disciplinary actions which need to be taken from time to time at the high school.

"One of the best kept secrets in West Sacramento is how many good kids we have here at River City," said Jose. "Unlike a lot of high schools in the Sacramento area, we have very little weapons or gang activity at River City. The majority of my time is spent dealing with relatively minor infractions, like kids being tardy or disrupting a class. We don't have a really big substance abuse problem, either, and I think that is partly due to our zero tolerance policy, which we really try to enforce."

Jose also went on to explain that as students mature at the high school level, discipline problems begin to dramatically decline.

"It's often our 9th and 10th graders that demand most of an assistant principal's time," said Jose. "They're young and they want to test the waters. But as they get to be juniors and seniors, they become more settled and responsible. I've also found that parents can play a very important role if you include them in the process. Ninety-nine percent of the time parents are extremely helpful in getting the problem resolved."

One of reasons Jose has chosen to spend most of his career in the Washington Unified School District is its diversity.

"Currently," explained Jose, "our high school is 34 percent Caucasian, 31 percent Hispanic, 18 percent Asian, nine percent Russian, five percent Native American, and three percent African American. Those are really unique numbers for a high school, but what is really impressive is how well everyone gets along. A lot of these kids are still struggling to learn English, but their friends and fellow students are always so understanding and encouraging. As a Spanish speaker, it is very rewarding to see how welcoming our English speaking kids are to first generation kids from other cultures."

Jose and his wife, Charlene, who is a marriage and family counselor, have always had a special place in their hearts for children. "Charlene and I weren't able to have our own children," said Jose, "so we adopted. My son, Joey, in nine-years-old now, and my daughter, Angelica is five. I really enjoy being around young people, and I honestly can't think of a job I'd rather have than the one I do now."

City Hall's lawyers:

City of West Sacramento's legal firm requests hourly fee increase

The West Sacramento City Council will be asked tonight to approve an increase in fee schedules for attorney services.

In the first weeks after the City of West Sacramento incorporated in 1987, the new city council entered into an agreement with the Sacramento law firm Kronick, Moskovitz, Tiedemann and Girard for the city's legal representation, foregoing other options such as having an "in-house" attorney. Fees were increased in 1989 and again in 1991, with no increases since that time.

The firm has requested a new fee schedule including changing the rate done for work performed by "special skilled shareholder" attorneys from $145 to $155 per hour; "associate attorneys" from $90-$105/hour to $95-125/hour; and paralegals, from $75 to $75-85/hour. The firm also requests an increase in the flat rate paid for attendance at City Council meetings and bi-monthly staff meetings, from the current $100 per meeting to a new rate of $150 per meeting.

The overall effect on city legal costs depends largely on the amount of legal work to be required in the future, and to which individual in the law firm it is assigned.

City staff reports that for the first 11 months of the 1997-98 fiscal year, the city spent a total of$575,964.14 for city attorney services.

The fee increase is supported by city staff, citing the fact that there has been no increase for seven years.

Modifications to industrial park agreement with city requested

Developers of the Southport Industrial Park, about to transfer property interest in the 670-acre project to Summit Commercial of Southern California, has requested amendments to its development agreement with the City of West Sacramento.

Those changes include the removal of the necessity of city approval of a change in property interest as long as verifiable performance standards are met regarding the developer's public improvements, and a provision offering mortgage protection to future lenders.

The council will consider the changes at tonight's (July 8) meeting, which begins at 7 p.m. in City Council Chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd.

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West Sacramento Redevelopment Agency.

The preferred site has so far been a parcel next to the current Arthur F. Turner branch of the Yolo Co. Library, between Merkley Ave. and West Capitol Ave.

The discussion will occur as part of an agenda item on the city's 1998-99 and 1999-200 capital improvement plan. The council meeting will begin at 7 p.m., 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento.

In uniform

Marine Pvt. Tommy A. Salazar, son of Viola Maldonaldo of West Sacramento, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Salazar successfully completed 12 weeks of training designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally.

Salazar joins 41,000 men and women who will enter the Marine Corps this year from all over the country. He is a 1996 graduate of Yolo High School.

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"You look great! Who's your tailor?"

Emblem Club news

The West Sacramento Emblem Club #499, in conjunction with Sacramento Emblem Club #539, entertained State President Chris Matthews at a luncheon at the West Sacramento Elk's Lodge. President Matthews is a member of the Emblem Club of Barstow, Ca.

Other guests were from Emblem Clubs in Placerville, Rancho Cordova, Roseville, Woodland, and of course West Sacramento and Sacramento.

Guests were entertained by a hearing guide dog demonstration by Squirt, and his recipient, Bob Larson. This is an ongoing charity California Emblem Clubs support. There is no charge to the hearing impaired for these dogs.

Club reports by West Sacramento President Jeanie Jones and Sacramento President Anne Muljat were given. Afterwards, President Matthews spoke on her travels and other Emblem topics.

Ladies from West Sacramento and Sacramento modeled hats. All of these hats were made by the ladies modeling them. Each hat represented the "Hats of Parliamentary Procedures."

Sports Quiz
by Aaron E. Tucker

1. What left-handed pitcher with the last name beginning with "K" is the all-time strike-out leader?
2. Who holds the major league record with the highest lifetime batting average in World Series play?
3. Can you name the New York Yankee with the highest lifetime batting average in World Series play?
4. Name three teams for which current Atlanta Brave shortstop Walt Weiss played before joining the Braves.
5. Name the first team for which current Seattle Mariner Randy Johnson ever pitched in the majors in 1988.
6. In what country was Toronto Blue Jay slugger Jose Canseco born?
7. Name the first New York Met to ever lead the league for a season with home runs.
8. Name the only New York Yankee manager who never managed a game in Yankee Stadium.

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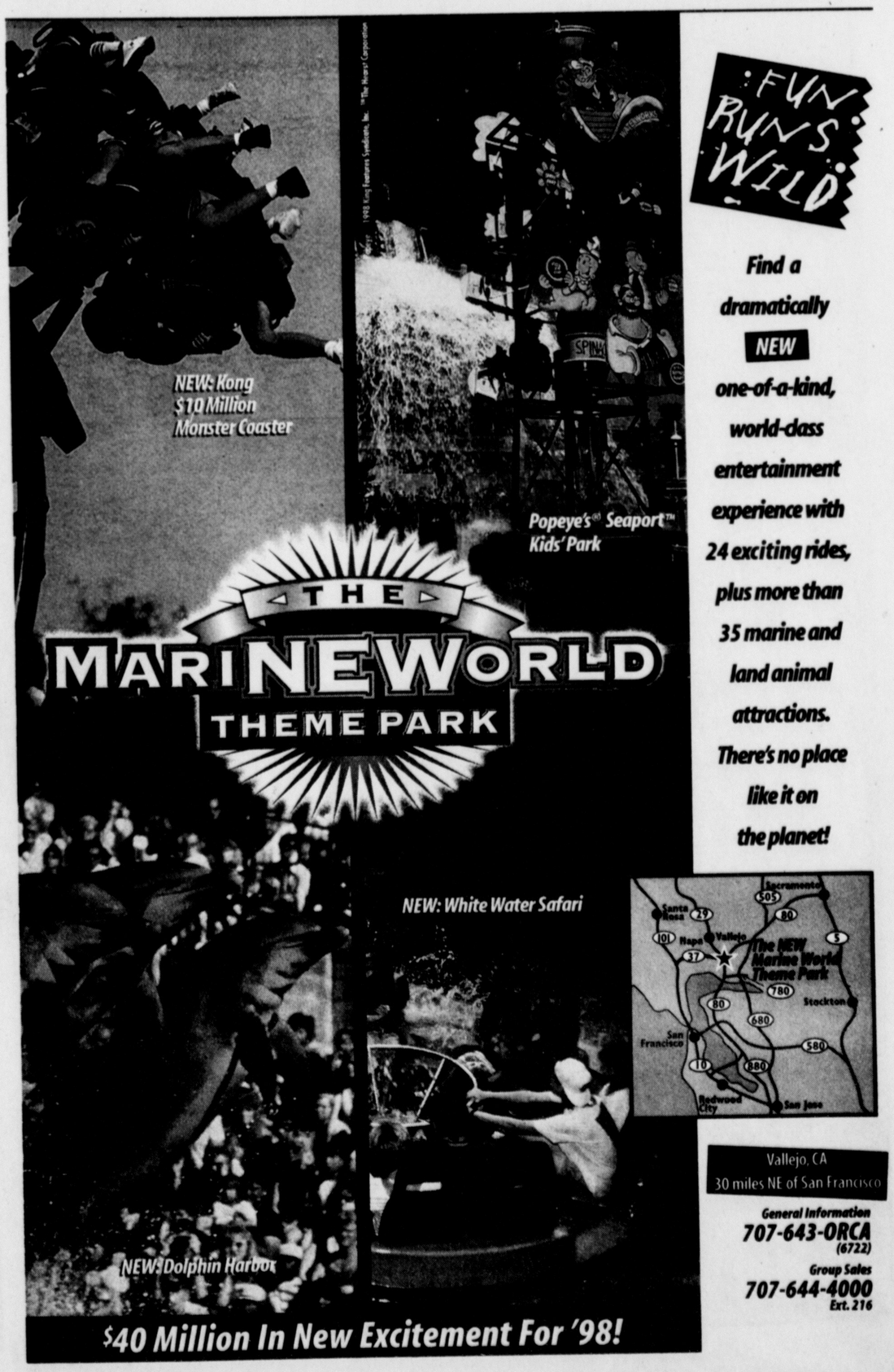
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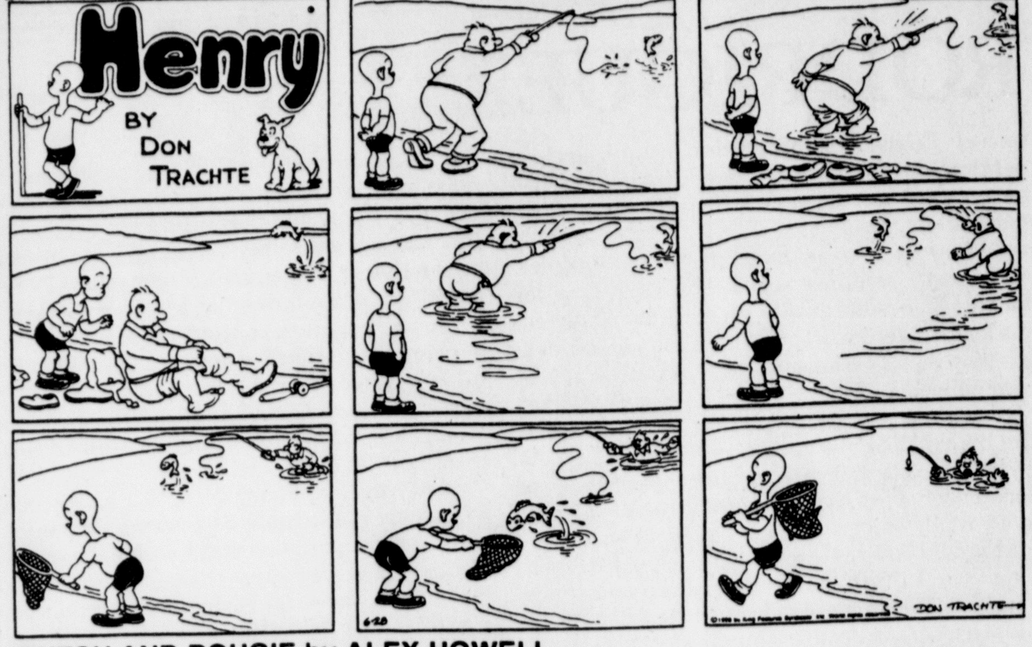
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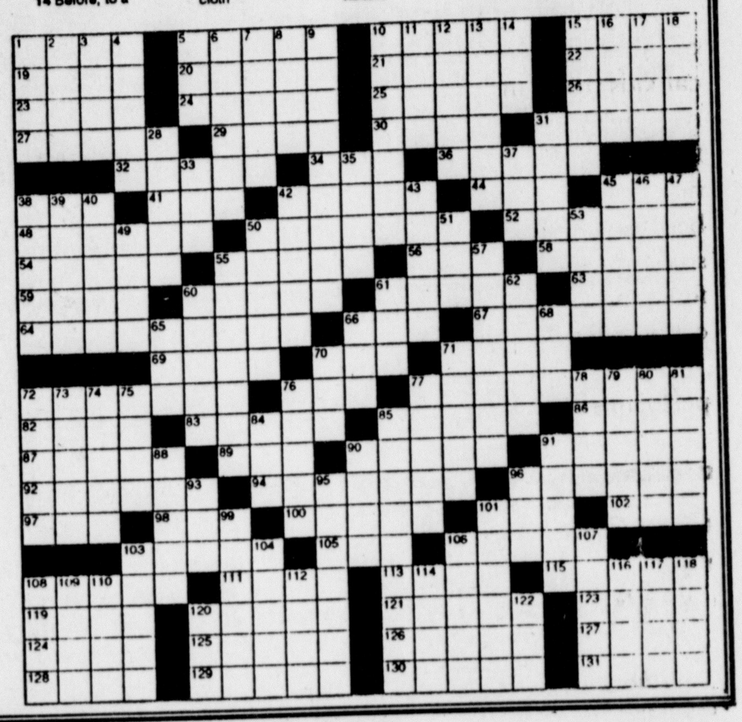
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5 Assigned task
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21 Diamond triumph
22 Brainstorm
23 Punjab princess
24 Severe and sharp
25 Irregularly worn
26 Predatory parrots
27 Manila hemp
29 Toward the mouth
30 One of the Simpsons
31 He wrote "Roll Over Beethoven"
32 Large family: colloq.
34 WWII org.
36 Regal composer?
38 Sci degree
41 Actor Lowe
42 Strikebreakers
44 Dawn goddess
45 Sphere or globe
48 Stan Musial, fondly
50 Doctor's client
52 Kettledrum
54 Storms wildly
55 Word with party or union
56 Make a mistake
58 Fragrant oleoresin
59 Extinct wild ox
60 Cut
61 Norwegian composer Edvard
63 Anesthesia target
64 He was "Terrific"
66 Paul Newman/ Patricia Neal movie
67 Reduced drastically
69 Very, in Versailles
70 School of whales
71 Actor David
72 Give up all hope
76 First, second or third base
77 DiMaggio's nickname
82 Nobelist Wiesel
83 Browns meat quickly
85 Anglers use many
86 Dispossess
87 Made public
89 Mai — (rum drink)
90 Searches thoroughly
91 Fold of skin
92 Leo Durocher, fondly
94 Makes up for
96 Pitcher Dennis Boyd
97 Crude cabin
98 Totem pole
100 Canine teeth
101 Talk it out?
102 Stat for 64 Across
103 Rice dish
105 Palmer peg
106 Uncanny
108 Papal vestment
111 Baker's unit
113 Noted jazz trumpeter
115 Hoglike animal
119 Cougar
120 Painter Matisse
121 Maris or McDowell
123 Arizona river
124 Encourage
125 Home of the llama
126 Really senseless
127 Lodge members
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129 Hidden hoard
130 Strong winds
131 Bring in the crop

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1 Pasternak heroine
2 Bedouin
3 Turner or Louise
4 Official proclamation
5 Little, in Glasgow
6 Detroit Tigers batting star
7 Habituate
8 Aztec "Noah"
9 Dwight Gooden, to sportscasters
10 George Herman Ruth, fondly
11 Israeli dance
12 Love, in Venice
13 Settle down comfortably
14 Before, to a poet
15 Cheapskate
16 River in Germany
17 Laceration
18 It's before chair or mark
28 Tapestry wall hanging
31 Moisten the turkey
33 Charged atom
35 Twosome
37 Region of India
38 Swagger pompously
39 Spanish entertainer
40 In India, a Moslem princess
42 Heavy cavalry sword
43 Bergen's Mortimer
45 Form of African witchcraft
46 Fiber used in cloth
47 Duck hunter's shelter
49 Army meal
50 Covers with asphalt
51 Pod or ode starter
53 Heidi's home
55 Young hare
57 Does a cobbler's job
60 Garments worn by 23 Across
61 Drop or shoe starter
62 Fills to excess
65 R.R. depot listing
66 Crone
68 Once named Clay
70 Bag or house starter
71 Rowan trees
72 "The great equalizer of mankind"
73 One of Job's visitors
74 River to the Danube
75 Shed bark
76 Summary or abstract
77 Long and high, in athletics
78 Oliver's nickname
79 Morning drink
80 "Sesame Street" grouch
81 Babylonian hero
84 Rhine feeder
85 Baseball's "Iron Horse"
88 Daniel Emmett song
90 Pitching star of the Royals
91 American songbird
93 Youth org.
95 Hunter who pitched a perfect game
98 Row
99 Native skill
101 Hydrocarbon from resinous wood
103 Greek philosopher
104 Henry or Jane
106 Potential energy
107 Impatiently anxious
108 October birthstone
109 Cartoonist Goldberg
110 It stars Sherman Hemsley
112 Greek war god
114 College at New Rochelle, N.Y.
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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial:

School test scores, labor market statistic linked

Two sets of statistics with something in common? Perhaps.

The Washington Unified School District released statistics today which show how local kids performed on standardized tests in reading and math, compared to other California students. It is debatable whether the new test scores showed improvement or not, because for the first time the tests included students who hadn't been part of testing before -- non-English speakers and special education students -- thereby skewing the results.

But it is clear that the kids, as a whole, performed in a below-average way.

The other statistic is one of many reported in a City of West Sacramento study (done by a private firm) on how local businesses are faring in the city.

Although many positive things were reported about the state of business in West Sacramento, at least one worrisome fact was reported as well. Nearly half of the businesses interviewed (48 percent) reported that "they were unable to obtain qualified personnel from the local labor market" -- a figure unchanged from the previous year.

The staff report explained, optimistically, that this was "a testament to the tight labor market."

When the local labor market is the entire Sacramento region, it is a fairly diverse and healthy labor market. But anyone who does business in West Sacramento knows that the West Sacramento labor market is less than healthy. It is indeed difficult to find people with certain skills and education levels within this local market.

Are the low test scores of WUSD students and the difficult labor market faced by West Sacramento businesses related?

In some ways, yes. The same demographics which help produce the sub-average test scores among WUSD students also produce too few high-quality, high-end workers for local businesses. This is not to say that there is no room for improvement in the way local students are taught; it is just to say that say region's demographics have a huge impact on performance in schools. The only surefire way to improve school test scores is to ensure that the kids coming into local schools speak English and are backed by families who place a high value on their children's education.

Do this, and you'll soon see an improvement in the local labor force as well.

Guest Commentary

Twenty ways to make sure your kids try drugs

Although the News-Ledger is not sure who authored this submission, it was forwarded to us by the West Sacramento Police Department. It is a list of all the "wrong" things a parent can do in bringing up a child to stay away from drug abuse.

The following are 20 ways to encourage your child to use drugs:

1) Never eat together as a family.

2) Never have family outings which occur weekly, monthly, or annually that they can look forward to as a family unit.

3) Talk TO your children, not WITH them; never listen.

4) Punish your children in public and never praise them or reinforce their positive behavior.

5) Always solve their problems; make their decisions for them.

6) Leave the responsibility of teaching morality and spiritual training to the schools and the church.

7) Never let your children experience cold, fatigue, adventure, injury, risk, challenge, experimentation, failure, frustration, discouragement, etc.

8) Threaten your children (i.e., "If you ever try drugs or alcohol, I'll punish you.").

9) Expect your children to get 'A"s in school in all subjects.

10) Always pick up after them and don't encourage them to accept responsibility.

11) Discourage your child from talking about their feelings (i.e., anger, sadness, fear, etc.).

12) Be overprotective and don't teach your child the meaning of the work consequence.

13) Make your child feel that their mistakes are sins.

14) Put your child off when they ask "why" and tell them, "Because I said so."

15) Lead your child to believe that you are perfect and infallible.

16) Keep your home atmosphere in a state of chaos.

17) Never tell them how much you love them and never discuss your feelings with them.

18) Never hug or display affection in front of them.

19) Always expect the worst and never give them the benefit of the doubt.

20) Don't ever trust them.

Help is only a phone call away; dial the Drug Abuse Information and Treatment Referral Line at (800) 821-4357 for drug-related information referrals to local treatment programs and support groups.

For referrals to alcohol treatment programs nationwide and educational materials, call the American Council on Alcoholism Helpline at (800) 527-5344.

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Letters to the Editor

Letter from Marna Miller

Talking too much? Probably. But if you get tried of listening to me, tune into the void that you will find in election materials. Mailers saying nothing. Brochures which show a picture and they think you should vote for them on the basis of looks or verbal rhetoric. Mailers are fluff, not real. Let's see real!

Editorials tell you what is going on, and I believe you need someone who will protect your interests. Fairly, without bias or personal agenda, you should get answers to questions from your city government.

Special interest groups or "privileged" people are handed things, other are made to beg. Abusive relationships bully or seduce into submission. Public access is the best way to reduce the capacity to mislead and brainwash people.

Working hard and trying to do the right thing, the public seems to be left out of the loop. Programs are geared towards those that cause the problems in our areas. The "at risk" people, that have thrown away all the things which we have been striving for in order to improve our lives, do not have a mandate to return to the "system" what they have extracted. We gravitate towards the "big easy" in life. Without exception, our "want-to" rationalizes why it is OK of us to "get" the "whatever" we want.

Let's want real campaign reform. So our rights are enhanced for the future of new political improvements. If there are no reforms, only the very rich will be able to represent us...as if they could relate to our problems.

MARNA MILLER
West Sacramento



"You're not supposed to start turning into me until you're much older, Susie."

Your thoughts are welcome

Your submission's are always welcome to the News-Ledger opinion page.

Letters to the Editor should be brief and must include the author's name and signature. Phone number and address must be included for verification purposes. Except in unusual circumstances, authors' names will not be withheld from publication, and pseudonyms are not permitted. The News-Ledger will attempt to print letters in their entirety, but reserves the right to edit for length or for libelous or objectionable content. Deadline is Friday at 5 p.m. Please mail them to the News-Ledger, P.O. Box 463, West Sacramento, CA 95691, or drop them off at the News-Ledger office, 816 Westacre Rd.

"Sound Off!" comments should be very brief. They may be phoned in to 371-8055, and deadline is Monday. Please note that for reasons of fairness, and because of the anonymous nature of the "Sound Off!" comment line, subject matter is restricted. No criticisms or political campaigning in "Sound Off!," please, although that kind of subject matter may be appropriate for signed letters to the editor. Comments may be edited for length or objectionable content.



So you want to run for office. . .

Three school board member seats in the Washington Unified School District will be voted on in the November 3, 1998, election. Candidates are elected at large. Two of the terms are for four years and one is for two years. The two trustees with terms expiring are David P. Farmer, Sr. and Ardeene Westvik. The seat recently vacated by the resignation of Hal Williams has a two-year term remaining.

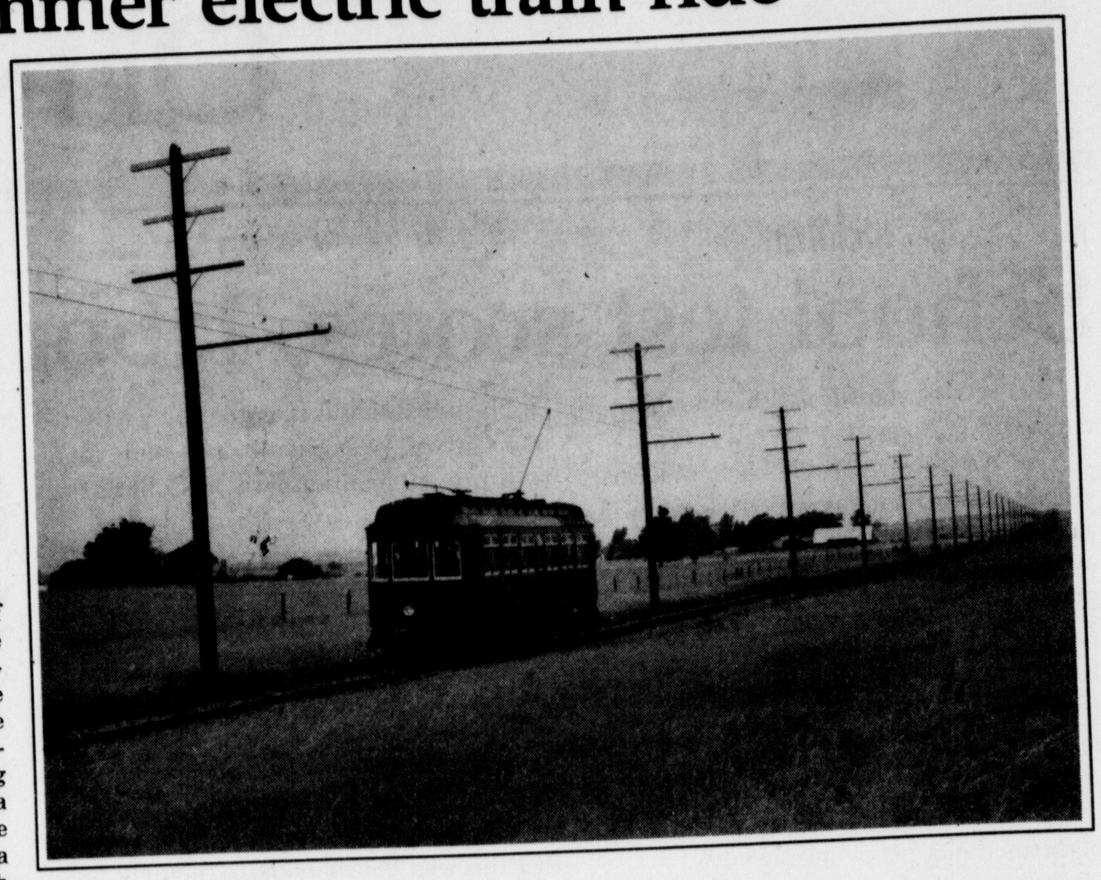
The first date for filing "Declaration of Candidacy" papers is July 13, and the final date for a candidate to file is 5:00 p.m. on August 7, 1998. Should an incumbent not file, there is a five-day extension period expiring August 12, to nominate candidates other than the incumbents. Election day is November 3.

The Elections Department, 625 Court Street, Room B-1, Woodland, (530) 666-8133, should be contacted for more information on the school board election.

The filing period is the same for the two West Sacramento City Council seats (currently held by Mayor Wes Beers and Vice Mayor Christopher Cabaldon) on the Nov. 3 ballot.

Interested people should contact the West Sacramento City Clerk, 2101 Stone Blvd., for details.

Scenic summer electric train ride



Just in time for summer, the Western Railway Museum announced that it is now offering 8-mile round trip rides on its preserved Sacramento Northern Railway line as a result of a recently completed $50,000 restoration project that added another mile to trackage previous restored. According to museum spokesperson Bill Kluver, electric interurban cars and trains now routinely operate all the way to Gum Grove Station, departing the museum's headquarters at Rio Vista Junction in Solano County every hour on the hour between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

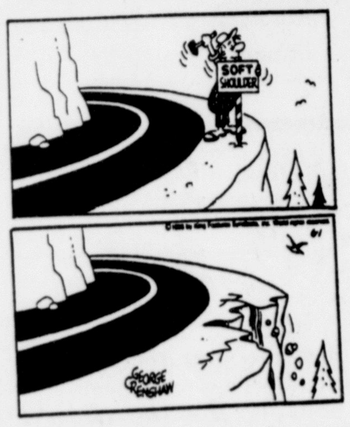
Passengers riding the restored line, one of the longest of its kind in the country, are treated to views of an agricultural area which is little changed from the days when the rail line was first opened for service back in 1913. Traversing the gently rolling Montezuma Hills, there are vistas of the bucolic landscape dotted with a few farm houses, historic Shiloh Church built in 1875, herds of sheep grazing in the adjoining fields, and distant view of Mt. Diablo and the great Suisun Marsh. Many of the Interurbans operated by the museum are almost 100 years old and combined with the unspoiled scenery it is a ride backward in time, Kluver commented.

This summer, Western Railway Museum will again be open for public visits on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. during July and August, as well as on weekends year-round. Family-friendly admission fares which include unlimited rides to Gum Grove station, enjoyment of the site's tree shaded picnic grounds, and free parking make the Western Railway Museum an ideal day-trip destination.

Museum visits can easily be combined with tours of other nearby attractions including Grizzly Island State Park and the Jelly-Belly candy company, both located in Suisun City.

The Western Railway Museum, a project of the non-profit, public benefit Bay Area Electric Railroad Association, is located at 5848 State Highway 12, about midway between Suisun City and Interstate 80 and the Sacramento River town of Rio Vista. Admissions are $6 for adults, $5 for seniors, and $3 for children 3 through 12 years of age. A special family pass for two adults and four children at $18 is also offered.

Further information may be secured by calling (707) 374-2978 or on the Internet at the museum's web site: www.wrm.org.



Read it in the News-Ledger . . . or read it somewhere else next week!

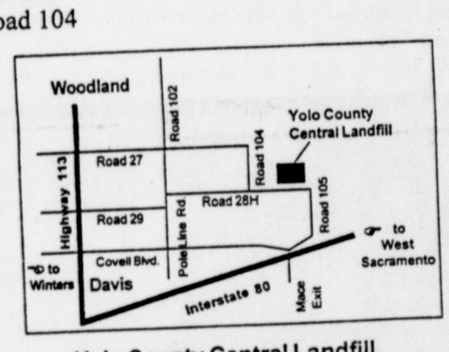
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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Trustee Sale No. 6113-20430 Loan No: 1226612 Title Order No. 2830096-T67 Investor No. 043-506129-77 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/4/93. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the real property purportedly known as: 1620 Vermont Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 APN 058-094-161 will be sold at public auction at on 7/22/98 at 1:00 PM, at the main entrance to the City Hall, 2101 Stone Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA, to the highest bidder, payable at the time of sale, for cash, or cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in Financial Code Section 5102 and authorized to do business in California. The sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligations secured by said Deed of Trust executed by Mark A. Cooper and Amy B. Cooper, husband and wife, as trustor, recorded Recorded on 5/12/93, instrument 015019, Book 2489, Page 187, of Official Records of Yolo County, California. The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is estimated at: $88,049.75, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued interest) and reasonably estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this notice. Date: 6/29/98 **ATI Foreclosure Services, Inc.**, 1595 Spruce Street, Riverside, CA, 92507, Diann Thomas, Ass't Secretary. For Sale Information Call: (909) 680-3646. We are assisting the Beneficiary to collect a debt and any information we obtain will be used for that purpose whether received orally or in writing. ASAP325903 7/1, 7/8, 7/15

Pfc # 28426-55 Loan # Owner: Keith Murdock Notice Of Trustee's Sale You are in default under a deed of trust dated 04/03/95. Unless you take action to protect your property, it may be sold at a public sale. If you need an explanation of the nature of the proceeding against you, you should contact a lawyer. On 07/15/98 at 11:00 AM, Peelle Financial Corporation as trustee of the deed of trust recorded 04/20/95 as instrument 95-0008483 book page in the County of Yolo California, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check or certified check, or a check drawn by a credit union, savings and loan association, a savings association, or a savings bank, authorized to do business in the state of California, payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States At: On the main steps of the County Courthouse 725 Court St., Woodland, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under the deed of trust in the property described as: 14-084-05 Lot 15, Block 9, Riverbank, filed January 24, 1912, in Book 2 of Maps, Yolo County Records. original trustor: Keith Murdock The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is understood to be: 521 Solano St West Sacramento, CA The trustee does not warrant the accuracy of the street address or other common description of the property, if any provided in this notice. The property will be sold without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the unpaid balance of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, plus, as provided in such note(s): advances, if any, under the terms of the deed of trust, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee. At the time of the initial publication of this notice, the total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the deed of trust and estimated costs, expenses and advances is $46111.94 Dated: JUN 17, 1998 **Peelle Financial Corporation Janice L. Eakes** Foreclosure Officer 197 East Hamilton Avenue Campbell CA 95008-0290 (408) 866-6868 P109180 6/24 7/1 7/8/98

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Title Order No. 123120 Trustee Sale No. 98-54615 Reference No. 12269312 APN No. 014-571-01 YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 05/24/94. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On July 29, 1998, at 12:00 PM, **Professional Lenders Alliance Corporation** as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust, recorded on 05/27/94 as Document No. 017665 Book 2648 Page 458 of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of YOLO County, California, executed by: ROGELIO MORENO, A SINGLE MAN, PASTOR MAGANA, A MARRIED MAN SOLE AND SEPERATE PROPERTY, as Trustor, COMSTOCK MORTGAGE, ITS SUCESSORS AND/OR ASSIGNS, as Beneficiary. WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States, by cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state). At: AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE TO THE CITY HALL AT 2101 STONE, BLVD., WEST SACRAMENTO, CA., all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein: Lot 161, Elkhorn Village No.1, According to the Official Plat Thereof, Filed for Record in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County, California, on November 3, 1950, in Book 4 of Maps, at Pages 30 and 31. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 829 FREMONT BOULEVARD, WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $87,354.31 Estimated. Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recordation. Date: 06/24/98, **Professional Lenders Alliance Corporation**, as Trustee, 5 Hutton Centre Drive, Suite 1050, Santa Ana, CA 92707, Telephone Number: (714) 432-7715 Ext 221, Fax Number: (714) 432-1221, By: ERIC ESTRELLA, TRUSTEE SALE OFFICER, NPP0048591 PUB: 07/08/98, 07/15/98, 07/22/98

Police log

July 5, 8 a.m.
A car was reported stolen overnight from a West Capitol Ave. parking lot.

July 5, 12:45 p.m.
Illegal fireworks were reportedly being discharged at Linden Park. An officer found two juveniles fleeing the scene, and cited them and released them.

July 5, 9:05 p.m.
A car was driven off the levee and into the river near the I St. Bridge. The driver escaped the vehicle and fled.

July 6, 7:30 a.m.
An officer spotted an occupied van -- reported stolen from Sacramento -- parked near 8th St. and Welland Way. The vehicle was recovered.

July 6, 7:33 a.m.
A Harbor Blvd. business reported a burglary in which computer equipment had been taken.

July 6, 10 a.m.
A man came to the police department to report that someone had obtained his ATM card and used it to rack up $1000 in purchases from area businesses.

July 6, 10:34 a.m.
A caller told the police that he or she had found numerous items believed to have been taken in burglaries at a local mobile home park.

July 6, 11:10 a.m.
A rail container was reported stolen from a Delta Lane location.

July 6, 2:45 p.m.
On Todhunter Ave., a woman reported that she had been kicked in the head and injured by her boyfriend, who was gone when police arrived.

July 6, 4:05 p.m.
An officer stopped a bicycle for a vehicle code violation. The driver, a 43-year old West Sacramento woman, was found to be on searchable probation, and the officer located methamphetamine hidden in a flashlight in the woman's possession. She was arrested.

July 6, 4:15 p.m.
An officer took a report that a vehicle had collided with a home on Franklynn Way, and the car had then fled. The car was later stopped by the California Highway Patrol near I-80 in Davis.

July 7, 4:50 a.m.
An officer stopped a vehicle for expired registration near Westacre Rd. and Evergreen Ave. The 21-year old West Sacramento man driving it was on searchable probation and had a suspended license. A glass narcotics pipe was found near him on the floor, to which he admitted ownership (a passenger was also in the car, and had a warrant). The driver also had a filed-down Toyota car key (possibly for use in car thefts) and admitted to not owning a car. He was arrested.

County Assessor reports year of growth

From the Yolo County Assessor's Office

Yolo County Assessor Alan Flory announced that the recently completed 1998 assessment roll of $8,988,576,688 reflects a 6.40 percent increase or $540,941,881 over 1997.

This increase is the highest the county has witnessed since 1992 and much of it can be attributed to a turnaround in the economy resulting in increases in new construction and property transfers.

All areas of the county experienced increases in assessed values. Davis grew 8.49 percent, or $207,376,911; Winters grew 3.50 percent, or $6,892,121; Woodland grew 6.73 percent, or $139,696,277; West Sacramento grew 6.03 percent, or $104,084,867; and the unincorporated area grew 2.84 percent, or $43,433,984.

In addition to these increases the State Board of Equalization has increased the assessments of public utilities by 39,457,721 million dollars which will also be allocated to the various assessment jurisdictions.

This week in local government

A meeting of the **West Sacramento City Council** will take place tonight at 7 p.m. in council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items include the following:

Public hearing and first reading of ordinance making amendments to the restated and first amended development agreement between the city and Southport Industrial Park for the Southport Industrial Park Project.

Public hearing and consideration of resolution certifying the list of weed abatement charges and inclusion of the charges on the secured tax roll in the same manner as general taxes.

Consideration of a speed hump policy.

Consideration of a proposed residential traffic calming program.

Second reading and adoption of ordinance amending chapter of the municipal code related to speed limits on certain city streets, and second reading and adoption of ordinance decreasing the speed limits on certain city streets.

Consideration of plans and specifications and authorization to solicit bids for the Vermont Avenue area water main replacement project.

Consideration of acceptance of public improvements for Southport Parkway Northwest/ Lake Washington Blvd. intersection.

Consideration of award of a contract for alternative sewage disposal system at Fire Station #42 to M.E. Seebeck & Sons, Inc.

Second reading and adoption of ordinance amending the West Sacramento Zoning Map from C-2 to R-2 and amending the Pheasant Hollow Development Agreement.

Consideration of a contract for services with Sacramento Magazine Corporation to prepare marketing documents for the business recruitment program.

Consideration of the results of the 1997-98 Business and Expansion Program.

Consideration of an increase in the fee schedule for Kronick, Moskovitz, Tiedemann & Girard.

Consideration of resolution calling an election and requesting the board of supervisors to permit the county clerk to render specified services to the city relating to the conduct of a municipal election on November 3, 1998.

Presentation and discussion of ordinance adding chapter to the municipal code relating to the establishment of parking meter zones.

Workshop on the Capital Improvement Program for 1998-99 and 1999-2000.

Consideration of resolution opposing a reduction in the vehicle license fee.

The **West Sacramento Housing Advisory Commission** will meet on July 13 at 6 p.m. in city council chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd. Agenda items will include Community Development Block Grant public meeting and review of housing activities for 1997/98; 1998/99 draft housing budget; and boards and commission functional authority policy.

New at the library:

The Arthur F. Turner Branch Library has purchased a 4-volume set of videos called "Easy English: A Video Series Designed to Teach the English Language." These videos have been helpful for patrons preparing to take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).

These books are also new:

Cancer Free: The Comprehensive Cancer Prevention Program, by Sidney J. Winawer, M.D. and Moshe Shike, M.D.

The Boys of '98: Theodore Roosevelt and the Rough Riders, by Dale L. Walker.

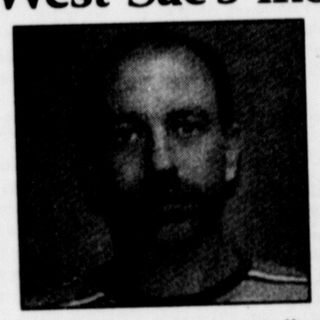


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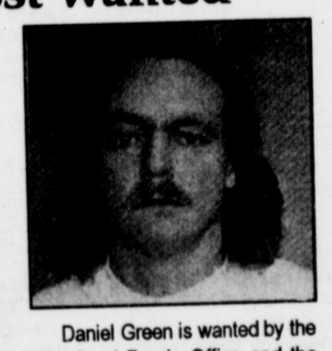
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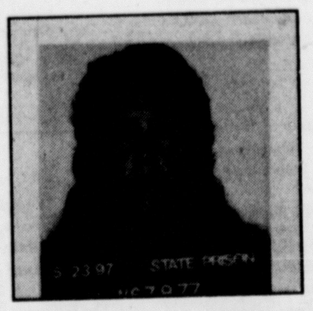
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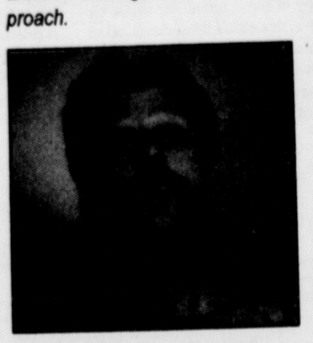
Christopher Collins is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for being a parolee at large, for failing to register as a drug offender, and for failing to report to the Woodland Parole Office. Collins, a 34-year-old male with blond/brown hair and blue eyes, stands 6'1" and weighs 150 pounds. He is believed to be in the Broderick area of West Sacramento.



Daniel Green is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for being a parolee at large, and for failing to report to the Woodland Parole Office. Green, a 30-year-old male with blond hair and blue eyes, stands 6'0" and weighs 210 pounds. He is believed to be in the Maple Street area of West Sacramento. *Consider this subject armed and dangerous -- do not approach.*



Colleen Richards is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for being a parolee at large, for failing to register as a drug offender, and for failing to report to the Woodland Parole Office. Richards, a 44-year-old female with brown hair and eyes, stands 5'5" and weighs 160 pounds. She is believed to be homeless in West Sacramento.



Jerry Robertson is wanted by the Woodland Parole Office and the West Sacramento Police Department for being a parolee at large, for failing to register as a drug offender, and for failing to report to the Woodland Parole Office. Robertson, a 42-year-old male with brown hair and blue eyes, stands 5'6" and weighs 130 pounds. He is believed to be homeless in West Sacramento.

If you have information regarding the whereabouts of any of these individuals, please contact the West Sacramento Police Department, Warrants Section, at 372-2461, ext. 226, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. If you know the immediate location of the person outside of normal business hours, contact West Sacramento Police Department Dispatch at 375-6474.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1998
File No. 98-366

The following persons are doing business as Listworks, 155 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91101:

IndyMac Agency, Inc, dba Listworks, 155 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, CA 91101.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6-16-98.

/s/Alison M. Moses
Licensing Paralegal
IndyMac Agency Inc.

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original document on file in this office. This certification is true as long as there are no alterations to the document, AND as long as the document is sealed with a red seal.

State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 16, 1998
by: /s/, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 24, 1998
File No. 98-384

The following person is doing business as B&B Partnership, 20624 County Road 99, Woodland, CA 95695:

Bernadette Marsh Borchard, 20624 County Road 99, Woodland, CA 95695; James Allen Borchard and Elizabeth Borchard, 19927 County Road 99, Woodland, CA 95695.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/26/98.

/s/James A. Bochard
/s/Bernadette Marsh Borchard

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Date: June 24, 1998
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 11, 1998
File No. 98-356

The following persons are doing business as KIDS KORNER, 219 N. West St., Woodland, CA 95695:

Mendi Lea Fayal, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on July 1, 1998.

/s/Mendi Lea Fayal

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 12, 1998
File No. 98-357

The following person is doing business as Vince's Deli & Liquor, 840-A Harbor Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Kimberly R. Vinayak, 6125 Jeanine Dr., Sacramento, CA 95842; Nurgus Vinayak, 3825 Little Rock Dr. #1, Antelope, CA 95843; Paramjit Singh, 4635 Antelope Rd. #124, Sacramento, CA 95843.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 12, 1998.

/s/Kimberly R. Vinayak

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by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 3, 1998
File No. 98-340

The following person is doing business as Coupon Connection, 1822 White Sands Lane, Davis, CA 95616:

Roslyn A. Schlenker, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998.

/s/Roslyn A. Schlenker

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1998
File No. 98-368

The following persons are doing business as Days Inn, 1524 E. Main St., Woodland, CA 95776:

Arvind Patel, same address.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 19, 1998.

/s/Arvind Patel

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by: /s/ Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1998
File No. 98-370

The following persons are doing business as Beverly's Never Just Haircuts, 2007 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Beverly L. Thomson, 1605 Norfolk St., West Sacto, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7-1-98.

/s/Beverly L. Thomson

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 24, 1998
File No. 98-383

The following person is doing business as CD Innovations, 2721 Eel Place, Davis, CA 95616:

Ernest Andrew King, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/24/98.

/s/Ernest King

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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 24, 1998
by: /s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 1998
File No. 98-364

The following person is doing business as Enterprise Business Park II, 1590 & 1600 Raley Court, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

SF Property Investments, LLC.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/30/97.

/s/SF Property Investments, LLC
Jordan D. Schnitzer, Member

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by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 10, 1998
File No. 98-353

The following person is doing business as Greenleaf Diagnostics, 2625 Wellesley Place, Davis, CA 95616:

Kristen Debra Farrar and James Jay Farrar, same address as above.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 3, 1998.

/s/Kristen Debra Farrar and James Jay Farrar

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 2, 1998
File No. 98-337

The following person is doing business as The Doly 99¢ Miny Store, 16915 Yolo Ave., Esparto, CA 95627:

Leonardo Preciado, 165 4th St., Apr. #3, Woodland, CA 95695 .

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/s/Leonardo Preciado

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: June 2, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 8, 1998
File No. 98-345

The following person is doing business as Davis Lock & Safe, 907 Fourth St., Davis, CA 95616:

Jack LaRoy McLeod, 1314 Alice St., Davis, CA 95616-2413.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 8, 1998.

/s/Jack LaRoy McLeod

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Date: June 8, 1998
by: /s/Jack LaRoy McLeod , Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 1, 1998
File No. 98-332

The following person is doing business as Woodland Gardens, 1737 Sixth St., Woodland, CA 95695:

George Anagnostou, Kitsy Anagnostou, 19 Shearer Dr., Atherton, CA 94027.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/98.

/s/George Anagnostou

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 1, 1998
File No. 98-333

The following person is doing business as Park Place, 1711 Sixth Street, Woodland, CA 95695.

George Anagnostou, Kitsy Anagnostou, 19 Shearer Dr., Atherton, CA 94027.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998.

/s/George Anagnostou

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by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 5, 1998
File No. 98-343

The following person is doing business as SwimAmerica - Davis, 1809 Picasso Avenue, Davis, CA 95616:

Rose Marie Cholewinski, 823 San Rafael Street, Davis, CA 95616.

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/s/Rose M. Cholewinski

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Date: June 5, 1998
by: /s/Vikki Wittig, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 27, 1998
File No. 98-322

The following persons are doing business as Furmuzan Flooring, 7569 Pratt Ave., Citrus Heights, CA 95610:

Sergey I. Furmuzan, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 27, 1998.

/s/Sergey Furmuzan

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by: /s/Victoria Barnes, Deputy Clerk

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Pub: 07/08/98, 07/15/98, 07/22/98
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 26, 1998
File No. 98-388

The following person is doing business as Pure Water Store, 375-B West Main St., Woodland, CA 95695:

Peter J. Hartz, 143 Lakeville Circle, Petaluma, CA 94954.

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/s/Peter J. Hartz

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 22, 1998
File No. 98-377

The following person is doing business as "Hand Dyed," 627 First St., Woodland, CA 95695.

Marjorie Bartoleme McWilliams, same address.

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/s/Marjorie B. McWilliams

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 10, 1998
File No. 98-352

The following person is doing business as Tom James Trucking, 1585 Parkway Blvd., Suite B, West Sac, CA 95691:

Tommy James, 6828 Donerail Dr., Sac, CA 95842.

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/s/Tommy James

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 18, 1998
File No. 98-373

The following person is doing business as Metropolitan Travel & Tours, 1420 Merkley Ave., Ste. #1, West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Ernest F. Roberts, 7255 Alpine Frost Dr., Sacramento, CA 95823.

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/s/Ernest E. Roberts

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by: /s/Mayela Trejo-Lemus, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 15, 1998
File No. 98-360

The following persons are doing business as Juan Ochoa Trucking, 814 5th St. #4, Woodland, CA 95695:

Juan O. Ochoa, same address.

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/s/Juan O. Ochoa

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Washington Unified School District is considering submission of a waiver of the class size penalty for Education Code 41378 (c) which limits the total number of kindergarten students in the District to an average which is not to exceed 31. A public hearing on the waiver is scheduled at the next regularly scheduled Board of Education meeting to be held on Tuesday, July 28, 1998 in the City Council Chambers, 2101 Stone Blvd., West Sacramento, CA. Interested members of the public are invited to address the Board of Education on the waiver proposal.

July 8

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed May 27, 1998
File No. 98-325

The following person is doing business as 1) Center for Education, the Environment, & Employment Development; 2) E Center, 39839 Road 17A, P.O. Box 992, Woodland, CA 95695.

The Center for Education & Manpower Resources, Inc. (incorp. in California), 410 Jones Street (P.O. Box "F"), Ukiah, CA 95482.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on June 1, 1998.

/s/Anne C. Molgaard, Executive Director
The Center for Education & Manpower Resources, Inc.

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LOST DOG: July 4. Older male golden retriever near Alameda/Virginia. 372-1246. 50

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Local Scene

Vacation Bible School

Children ages 3 through 5 are invited to register for summer Bible School at Community Lutheran Church, 920 Drever St. The school will be held July 20-24, from 9 to 11:30 a.m., and will include Bible stories, singing, prayer, arts and crafts, recreation and snacks. "Kids Pray, H.O.P.E. World Tour" is the 1998 theme for VBS. Cost for the week is $8 per child (some sponsorships are available -- please inquire if needed). Call 371-8804 to register your child/ren.

Church Open House

The community is invited to attend an open house of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on Saturday, July 11, from 6 to 8 p.m. The church is located at 2667 Linden Road in West Sacramento. There will be displays in various rooms in the building depicting the many activities of the church, a video featuring Elder Henry B. Eyring of the Quorum of the Twelve, and refreshments. Call 371-5147 for information.

O.L.G. Car Wash

The Our Lady of Grace cheerleaders will hold a car wash on Saturday, July 18, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. at Mak's Quick Corner, a gas station located across the street from Target (1101 Broadway). Donation is $4, with proceeds going toward purchasing new cheerleading uniforms.

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church for youngsters ages 3 through eighth grade will take place July 13 through 17 at the church, located at 1511 Delaware (at the corner of 15th and Delaware). The school will run from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. each day, and will include games, stories, crafts, refreshments and a visit from famous surfing champion, Rip Radical and his brother, Shred. The school is free of charge. For more information call 371-4061.

Picnic in the Park

The West Sacramento Police Department's Crime Prevention and Volunteers in Policing Units invite you to attend a potluck picnic at Bryte Park (Carrie St. at Todhunter Ave.) on Saturday, July 18, between 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Bring your family, your friends, and your favorite dish to pass. Please R.S.V.P. by Thursday, July 16, to Cathy Hill, at 372-2461, ext. 251.

Volunteers in Policing

The City of West Sacramento Police Department is recruiting adult citizens of age 50 years or older who live in West Sacramento to participate in the Volunteer in Policing Program. Opportunities as a volunteer working within this organization are many and varied. Volunteers will be expected to successfully complete a 48-hour academy, attend monthly training sessions and work a minimum of four hours per week. Applications are available at the Police Department, 550 Jefferson Blvd., or can be obtained at City Hall, 2101 Stone Blvd. Applications can also be obtained by downloading the information from the city's web page at: www.ci.westsacramento.ca.us. Final filing date for current vacancies is 5 p.m. on July 17. For more information call Penny Miceli at 372-2461, ext. 254.

Titanic Talk

Davis resident Joan Marie Pope Randall, the daughter of a Titanic survivor, will speak at the Davis Senior Center, 646 A Street, on Wed., July 15 at 7 p.m. Her talk, "A Present Time Titanic Voyage: A Survivor's Daughter's Tale," will address some of her mother's experiences as a survivor, plus recent events in Randall's own life, including connecting with family members she had never met. Randall's free presentation is cosponsored by the Davis Senior Center and the Davis Genealogical Society. The public is invited.

Joy's Instrument Instruction

Music lessons begin Tuesday, July 14, for anyone who desires to play the drums, bass guitar, or guitar. Students must be at least 10 years old and they must have an instrument to practice on. The instructor has experience in teaching students from ages 10 to 76. The classes are one on one and they meet once per week at Joy Christian Ministries, 828 Merkley Ave., West Sacramento. For more in-depth information or to register for classes call 375-0066 and leave a message. Group sessions are available.

Lunch with Stan

The West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce presents KOVR's news anchor Stan Atkinson at the July luncheon, Thursday, July 9, at the Club Pheasant, beginning at 12 p.m. Lunch prices are $13 if you R.S.V.P. before July 9, or $16 at the door. Lunch choices are salmon salad or steak sandwich. For reservations, call 371-7042, or fax at 371-7007.

Tax-Favored Investing

All are welcome to attend the Money Management Seminars' "Tax-Favored Investing," a one-hour session which takes a look at long-term financial planning strategies in light of the recent changes, as well as offers several creative ideas for maximizing tax-planning advantages this year, on Thursday, July 23, between 6 and 7 p.m. at Best Western Harbor Inn, 1250 Haylard Drive in West Sacramento. Guest speaker will be Matthew Fine, editor of Financial News Digest and Financial Review, two nationally-distributed publications for effective money management. There is no cost to attend.

Southport Elementary

Attention parents who live in the Southport area: Southport Elementary School is on a year-round schedule. School starts on Monday, August 3. Please remember that students need to be registered in order to attend. Classes are filling up quickly. If you have not registered for classes, call Mrs. Smith, Principal, at 375-7604, ext. 2259 for questions or come by in person, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., at the Washington Unified School District, 930 West Acres Rd. to pick up a registration packet. We are looking forward to meeting you and your children.

Chamber Golf Classic

Tee off with West Sacramento's Business Community at the 7th annual Chamber Golf Classic, scheduled for Thursday, August 13, at the Lighthouse Golf Course at 500 Douglas Street in West Sacramento. Registration begins at 11:30 a.m. followed by a shotgun start at 1 p.m. The $90 fee includes an impressive golf shirt, the use of a golf cart, tee prizes, chances to win other fun prizes. Dinner at the course after a fun day of golf. Portion of proceeds go toward two scholarships at the local high schools. For more information, call the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce at 371-7042.

Osteo screening

Screening for osteoporosis (weakening of the bones, common in women 35 or older) will be offered at the Raley's Pharmacy in West Sacramento for $25 on Sunday, July 12, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Testing is done while you wait, using ultrasound (no X-rays). No appointment is needed.

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City plans to create parking meter laws

Parking meters -- currently nowhere to be found within city limits -- are on their way to West Sacramento.

Tonight, the West Sacramento City Council will consider adding a new chapter to its municipal code "relating to the establishment of parking meter zones." The agenda item comes in response to the completion of the Money Store building and its parking garage.

As part of the agreement between the Money Store (near the Sacramento River north of the Tower Bridge), 28 parking spaces on the ground floor of the new company garage and 18 spaces on adjacent streets will be dedicated to public use.

In order "to preserve the public parking spaces for short term parking for the general public using the riverfront park" now under construction, the police department recommends that an enforcement program including parking meters be put to use at the site.

On-street parking meters are planned for F Street between 2nd and 3rd streets, and on 2nd street behind The Money Store's garage.

Because employees of Old Sacramento and downtown Sacramento businesses currently park for long periods of time in the area, said city staff, parking meters would be needed to discourage this and protect the spaces for short-term use by residents.

Parking times would vary from one to three hours, with extensions by adding more coins or getting a new permit prohibited. The rates will be 25 cents per quarter hour, or a dollar an hour.

In uniform

Navy Seaman Recruit Raul F. Cisneros, son of Maria and Raul Cisneros of West Sacramento, recently graduated from the Gas Turbine Systems Technician Mechanical course.

During the course at Navy Service School Command, Great Lakes, Ill., Cisneros received training in the operation and maintenance of gas turbine engines and support systems.

He is a 1995 graduate of River City High School.

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Vision Teasers

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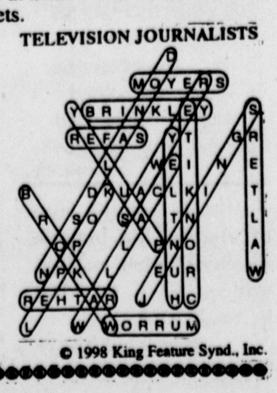
Sports Quiz Answers

1. Sorry, no it's not Sandy Koufax; the correct answer is Jerry Koosman with 2,556; 2. Pepper Martin at .418; 3. Thurman Munson at .373; 4. Oakland A's (1987-1992), Florida Marlins (1993), Colorado Rockies (1994-1996); 5. Montreal Expos; 6. Havana, Cuba, 1964; 7. In 1982, Dave Kingman with 37; 8. Bill Virdon (1974-75); as Yankee Stadium was being renovated, the Yanks played at Shea Stadium, the home of the Mets.

Answers to Super Crossword

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